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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Jukka TUOMI  
Serial No.: 09/735,516  
Filed: December 14, 2000  
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MANAGING  
A NETWORK TO SUSTAIN THE QUALITY  
OF VOICE OVER INTERNET PROTOCOL  
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**PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

August 5, 2004

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing of a response within the second month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the Office Action mailed on March 25, 2005.

A credit card payment form in the amount of \$420.00 to cover the fee required for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

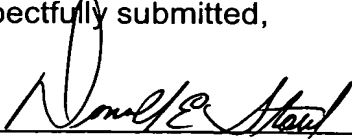
It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the Deposit Account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (0172.38632X00).

Respectfully submitted,

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